



**BARAKA**  
**B-16**

**CORCHADO**  
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**Leadership from the Community  
for the Community**



Ras was born in Newark on April 9, 1969 to renowned Newark natives, Imam Amiri and Amina Baraka. He attended Madison Avenue and the Clinton Place School. He graduated from University High School and proceeded on to Howard University where he received a Bachelor's degree in History and Political Science.

After college he returned to Newark and taught at Warren Street School for ten years. Presently, Ras is the Vice Principal of Burnet Street School in Newark, NJ. He is also the Assistant Boys Basketball coach at University High School in Newark, NJ. Ras also holds a Master's degree in Education from St. Peter's College in Jersey City, NJ.

# B-16

"The Politicians in our city have come to believe that the people of Newark exist to provide them with power and position for their personal luxury, I believe their power and position exist to provide the people of Newark with more freedoms and democracy to improve the quality of their lives."

- Ras Baraka

Héctor Corchado, a resident of the City of Newark for over 25 years, is seeking your support for the North Ward Council seat. Héctor Corchado has an extensive history of serving our community. In 1988, he started his law enforcement career in the Newark Police Department, with a personal goal of making a positive difference in the lives of Newark residents.



He served as a Detective with the Community Affairs Division in the Newark Police Department and most recently was promoted to Sergeant. For the past two years, he has served as a Deputy Mayor in the City of Newark.

His candidacy is based on the belief that residents of the North Ward deserve a representative who will work full-time to address their needs and concerns. Héctor Corchado is "from the community, for the community".

# C-20

"Citizens have a right to hold public officials accountable for progress within their community"

-Hector Corchado

## Ras and Héctor on:



**Education:** We will fight for smaller class sizes, more teachers, and advanced coursework. Local universities need to be made more responsible to the district by helping to prepare our students for the seats that they should guarantee our children. Make sure the public reviews the plans for the construction of new schools.

**Crime:** Work with the administration to establish police visibility in our communities, and work creatively and proactively with community residents to combat issues such as gang recruitment and car theft.

**Employment:** While there were a mere 1,000 jobs available for our youth this summer, we watched the tragedy of car thefts and gang recruitment. Newark's Renaissance must translate into more jobs for city residents. Employment not only provides income and keeps our kids out of trouble, but it gives dignity as well.



**Remember you have 4 votes for Councilman-At-Large  
Save a vote for Ras Baraka**



"It's time that we give our young men an opportunity to lead us."

**Actor Danny Glover and Congressman  
Donald Payne endorse  
Ras Baraka & Héctor Corchado**

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**Vote**

Héctor Corchado

North Ward Councilman



Ras Baraka  
Councilman-At-Large

Tuesday, May 14, 2002  
**“Take It Personal”**